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- 1. Government propagande has recently publicated the legalisation of land transfers ande to cottlers in the provinces coded from Bastern Germany. A close enalysis indicates that the Gamuniat regime is not interested in the creation of a strong and self-outstaining peasant class. On the contrary, the agrarian policy is designed to keep the villages impoverished and dependent upon Government accistance. Private land comercially is limited to symbolic heldings for propagands reasons. Thus the regime can retain more effective political control of the peacent class.
- 2. In territory coded from Fratern Cormany the Polish state has taken about 2 million bectares of arable land which has been disposed of as follows:
 - 1,100,000 Ha. Retained under direct state ownership.
 - 800.000 Ha. Transferred to the Red Army, Polish Army, educational institutions, and industrial concerns such as coal misses and about nills.

100,000 Ha. . Parcoled out to new nettlers.

- 3. Land plots parcolod out to now actilers are too small to be self-sustaining. Forms of three hoctares (and even one or two heaters for these she had no land) have been reported in the props. This policy is inconsistent with any rational economy and contradicts the feverenest's prever plans and the program of the Polich underground, which set a peasant's form at 8.15 hectares as a self-sustaining minimum. The 8.15 hectare minimum one class proscribed in the agrarian reconstruction program amnounced by the Council for Intional Unity on
- 4. The arable land retained by the state is under the bureaucratic central of the "Administration of State-Orned Lands." This administration employs about 100,000 peasants as agrarian workers. The effect of this organization is to create a new proletarian class in place of the independent farm bulders called for in the original programs.

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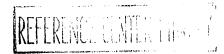
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5. The current system results in inefficient exploitation of land. The production from land under state or military and institutional centrol is much lever than that from land worked by individual settlers. Official statistics indicate that crops from state-administered lands last year were only 40% of normal production. While the newly-formed peasant farms, though they had no technical assistance at their disposal, achieved an output equal to 65% of normal

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